



**CITY OF HAYWARD**  
**AGENDA REPORT**

AGENDA DATE 07/25/00

AGENDA ITEM 7

WORK SESSION ITEM       

**TO:** Mayor and City Council

**FROM:** Director of Public Works

**SUBJECT:** Railroad Crossing Improvement on Depot Road West of Clawiter Road:  
Approval of Plans and Specifications and Call for Bids

**RECOMMENDATION:**

It is recommended that the City Council approve the attached resolution for the Depot Road Railroad Crossing and call for bids to be received on August 29, 2000.

**BACKGROUND:**

The project will widen Depot Road at the crossing of the Union Pacific Railroad (Exhibit A), which is approximately 250 feet west of Clawiter Road, including widening the street pavement to accommodate four traffic lanes, constructing curb, gutter and sidewalk, signing, and striping. Exhibit B shows the existing and proposed roadway geometry. The Union Pacific Railroad (UPRR) also has a project that will relocate and upgrade the crossing gates and the controller equipment. Together, the projects will improve the roadway approaches to the railroad crossing along Depot Road, which will reduce the backup from the UPRR crossing into the Depot Road and Clawiter Road intersection and provide for the freer flow of traffic. Both projects are federally funded. The railroad's project requires a 10 percent City contribution, which is included in the cost for the City's project.

As a federally' funded project, Caltrans has concluded that it qualifies for a categorical exclusion under the National Environmental Policy Act. The project is also categorically exempt under the California Environmental Quality Act Guidelines, because it is for the **minor** alteration of existing facilities.

The federal Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE) program applies because the project is funded with federal funds. Under the federal program, there is no separate category for Women Business Enterprise (WBE) and the single goal can be met with any combination of DBEs or WBEs. The established goal for this project is 9 percent, which is based on staff's evaluation of available subcontracting opportunities for this project.

## PROJECT COSTS:

The estimated project costs are as follows:

Construction	\$ 228,000
City's Contribution to the UPRR Project	54,000
City furnished labor & materials	<b>\$23,000</b>
Right of Way Acquisition	<b>30,000</b>
Design and Administration	53,000
Inspection, Survey and Testing	<u>33,000</u>
TOTAL	\$ 421,000


## FUNDING:

A total of \$540,000 has been identified in the Gas **Tax** Fund in the adopted **2000/2001** Five-Year Capital Improvement Program. The City will be reimbursed 88.5 percent by federal **ISTEA** funds.

## SCHEDULE:

Receive Bids	August <b>29</b> , 2000
Award Contract	September <b>26</b> , 2000
Begin Work	October <b>23</b> , 2000
Complete Work	January <b>15</b> , 2001

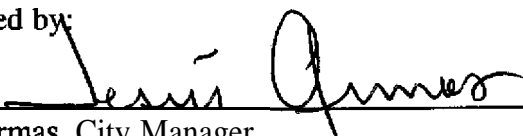
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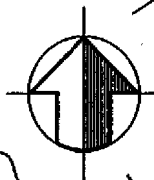
  
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Dennis L. Butler, Director of Public Works

Approved by:

  
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Jesus Armas, City Manager

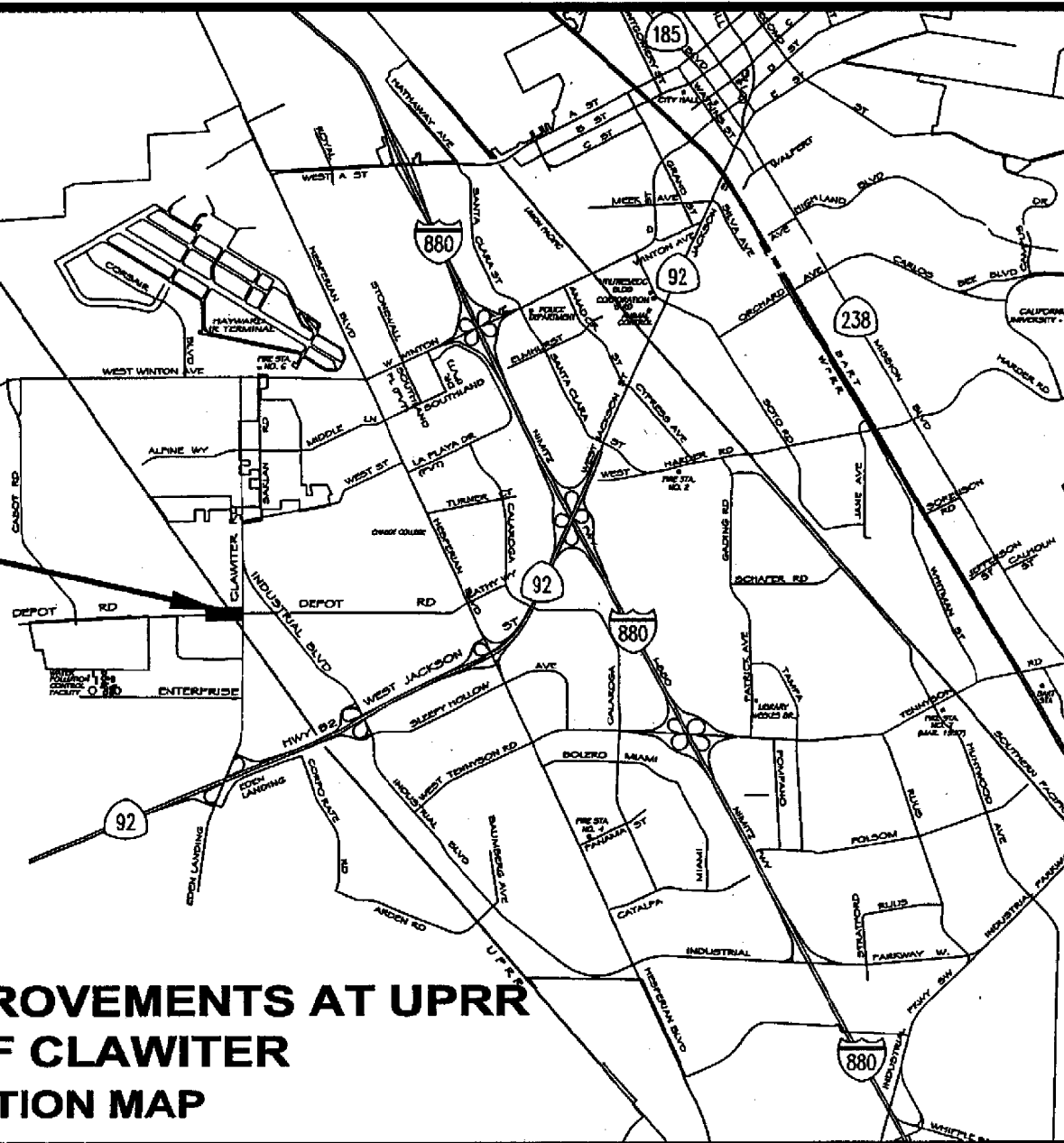
Attachments: Exhibit A: Location Map  
Exhibit B: Existing and Proposed Roadway Plan

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**PROJECT  
LOCATION**

**DEPOT ROAD IMPROVEMENTS AT UPRR  
WEST OF CLAWITER  
LOCATION MAP**





# DRAFT



HAYWARD CITY COUNCIL

RESOLUTION NO. \_\_\_\_\_

Introduced by Council Member \_\_\_\_\_

RESOLUTION APPROVING PLANS AND  
SPECIFICATIONS FOR THE RAILROAD CROSSING  
IMPROVEMENT ON DEPOT ROAD, WEST OF  
CLAWITER ROAD, PROJECT NO. 5134, AND CALL  
FOR BIDS

BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Hayward as follows:

1. That those certain plans and specifications for the railroad crossing improvement project on Depot Road, West of Clawiter Road, Project No. 5134, on file in the office of the City Clerk, are hereby adopted as the plans and specifications for the project;
2. That sealed bids **therefor** will be received by the City Clerk's office at City Hall, 777 "**B**" Street, Hayward, California 94541-5007, up to the hour of 2:00 p.m. on Tuesday, August 29, 2000, and immediately thereafter publicly opened and declared by the City Clerk in the Public Works Conference Room, Fourth Floor, City Hall, Hayward, California;
3. That the City Council will consider a report on the bids at a regular meeting following the aforesaid opening and declaration of same; and
4. That the City Clerk is hereby directed to cause a notice calling for bids for the required work and material to be made in the form and manner provided by law.

IN COUNCIL, HAYWARD, CALIFORNIA \_\_\_\_\_, 2000

ADOPTED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:

AYES:

NOES:

ABSTAIN:

ABSENT:

A T T E S T : \_\_\_\_\_  
City Clerk of the City of Hayward

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

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City Attorney of the City of Hayward